IN THE SPECIFICATION

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Please replace paragraph **[0008]** with the following amended paragraph:

[0008]   FIG. 1 is a block diagram of <u>an embodiment of</u> the disclosed information handling system.

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[0009]   FIG. 2 is a flowchart depicting <u>an embodiment of the</u> process flow in the disclosed information handling system.

Please replace paragraph **[0018]** with the following amended paragraph:

[0018]   One or more profiles 250 are stored in memory 180. For example, a work profile and a home profile can be stored in memory 180. The profile can include the name of a network. For example, the work profile may include the name of the wireless network used at the user's place of employment. The home profile may include the name of the user's home wireless network. When wireless card 170 is powered up, as for example occurs when initialize scan switch 215 is closed by the user or the WAKE input is otherwise activated, then wireless card 170 scans or looks for the presence of wireless networks whose names, or other identifying indicia, are specified in the profiles 250 stored in memory 180. ~~Since~~ <u>Because</u> the profiles are stored within wireless card 170 itself, wireless card 170 is capable of self-determining whether or not the wireless networks specified in profiles 250 are present and available to the user of IHS 100.